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FM AMEMBASSY QUITO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 6759

INFO AMEMBASSY BOGOTA

AMEMBASSY GUATEMALA

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AMEMBASSY MANAGUA

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AMEMBASSY TEGUCIGALPA

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C O N F I D E N T I A L QUITO 6004

FOR AMBS MOORE AND CLINGAN

E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: EASTERN PACIFIC TUNA INITIATIVE

REF: A) QUITO 5852 B) STATE 188398

1. AMBASSADOR RAFAEL GARCIA VELASCO, LEGAL ADVISOR OF THE
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FOREIGN MINISTRY, IN CONVERSATIONS ON AUGUST 14 WITH EMBASSY

OFFICERS, AFFIRMED POSITIONS OF GOE ON THE EASTERN PACIFIC TUNA INITIATIVE WHICH HE PROVIDED TENTATIVELY ON AUGUST 11 (REF A).

2. AMBASSADOR GARCIA SAID THAT THE GOE HAD CARRIED OUT THE CONSULTATIONS WITH CHILE AND PERU AND THAT A JOINT NOTE IS BEING DRAFTER FOR AMBASSADORS TO REQUEST GALINDO-POHL TO ACT AS CHAIRMAN. GARCIA SAID THAT DRAFT, DESIGNED FOR PRESENTATION BY PACIFIC COAST COUNTRIES EITHER IN SAN SALVADOR OR WASHINGTON, WOULD BE SHOWN TO US FOR OUR VIEWS IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

3. AMBASSADOR GARCIA COMMENTED THAT ALTHOUGH THE DRAFT PRINCIPLES PROPOSED BY THE AMERICANS HAD INITIALLY MET RESISTANCE, IT WAS NOW AGREED THAT THEY MIGHT BE USEFUL IN SERVING AS A POINT OF DEPARTURE. HE EMPHASIZED AGAIN THAT DISCUSSIONS MUST BE BASED ON ARTICLE 53, HOWEVER, AND SAID THAT THE LATIN AMERICAN NATIONS ARE PREPARING A PROPOSED TEXT THAT AMPLIFIES ARTICLE 53. THE TEXT WILL BE VERY BROAD IN CONCEPT AND CAPABLE OF SERVING AS AN UMBRELLA FOR OTHER AGREEMENTS. WHEN ASKED IF WE MIGHT OBTAIN A COPY OF THE LATIN AMERICAN TEXT IN ADVANCE, HE SAID, THE NATIONS WOULD PREFER TO WAIT UNTIL THE MEETING IN NEW YORK.

4. GARCIA STATED HIS PLEASURE THAT AMBASSADORS MOORE AND CLINGAN WILL VISIT LIMA AND SANTIAGO, AND SAID THAT THE FOREIGN MINISTRY LOOKS FORWARD TO THEIR VISIT TO QUITO. BREWSTER

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